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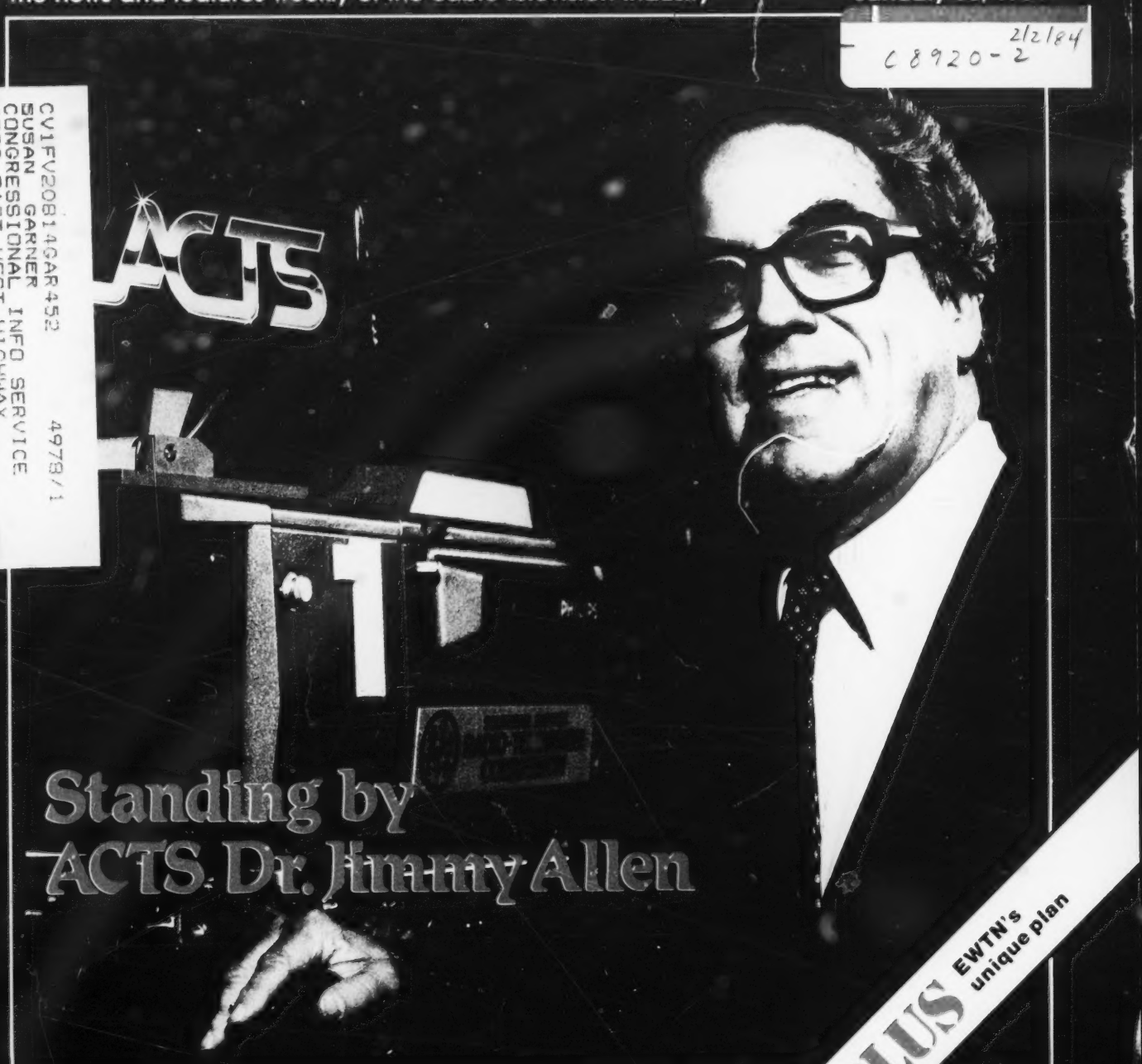

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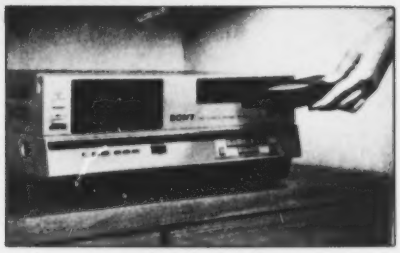

Sony 1, Hollywood 0

The Supreme Court decides in favor of Sony and home-tapers in a landmark case; the battle now shifts to Congress. Meanwhile, Hollywood may initiate a new suit to test the legality of taping cable shows, an issue not addressed in the recent decision. **Leading the week, pages 16-21.**

Warner acquires BHC

Despite protests by Murdoch's News International, Warner Communications goes through with its acquisition of a 42.5 percent interest in BHC, after the FTC signs off on the matter. **Leading the week, pages 16-21.**

Hughes announces DBS plans

Hughes Communications announces plans to get into the high-power DBS sweepstakes, asking FCC approval for two new high-power satellites that would offer a total of 32 channels. **Leading the week, pages 16-21.**

Warner Amex cuts back

Warner Amex Cable Communications continues its cutbacks as officials ask for revisions in franchise requirements in Dallas and higher rates in Cincinatti and its suburbs. Houston and other cities are on the list as well. **Leading the week, pages 16-21.**

Cable/telco arm demise

Warner Communications eliminates a division that was investigating the use of telephone lines to provide upstream capability in cable/telco hybrid two-way interactive applications. The move is being taken as another sign of retrenchment at Warner. **Leading the week, pages 16-21.**

ESPN, Raycom end venture

ESPN and Raycom abruptly end their Season Ticket regional college basketball pay venture after nine games. Major reason for the cessation: court actions this month against systems running the service. **Leading the week, pages 16-21.**

Spotlight end explained

The end of Spotlight was inevitable, according to one executive at the joint venture. But its downfall had little correlation with its popularity or financial success. **Leading the week, pages 16-21.**

Playboy's fate in Canada

First Choice, the current Canadian licensee of Playboy programming has not concluded negotiations past Jan. 31. **Page 24.**

TNN to share campaign results

The Nashville Net's "Countrygram" consumer awareness campaign may bring a lucrative side benefit to GWSC. **Page 26.**

CNI starts N.Y. radio ads

In mid-February, Cable Networks Inc. will launch a $300,000 radio ad campaign to promote 13 systems. **Page 26.**

USCI launches Chicago DBS

USCI's move into the Chicago area occurred ahead of schedule because the initial effort in Indianapolis came in "above target." **Page 43.**

Byers, Commco joining forces

Byers Communications to offer $3.8 million in stock for Commco assets in an agreement expected to be finalized by April. **Page 45.**

Must-carry appeal heard

The U.S. Court of Appeals hears the arguments of Quincy Cable against the FCC's must-carry rules, but the judges were angered that the facts of the case had changed. **Page 48.**

Carribean consortium formed

A new group has formed to help ease the nations of the Carribean Basin into the telecommunications revolution. **Page 48.**

About the cover

ACTS President Dr. Jimmy Allen, who expects to launch his network in May. Photo by Kenneth Beazley.

This week in PLUS

The next major satellite network launch looks to be that by the Southern Baptist Convention with ACTS. With 14 million church members and 36,000 churches, the Southern Baptists are the largest Protestant denomination. The network plans to be non-profit but also plans to sell time, following "the PBS model," spokesmen say. And its grassroots marketing plan should help gain subs... Mother Angelica's path to success with Eternal Word Television Network is not one that would work for most. But the Catholic nun, with no knowledge of television, simply decided to put together a network—and did it. And one of the keys to her success is EWTN's unique crusade within the Catholic community to convert its members to cable. **Pages 27-42.**

Cablestats

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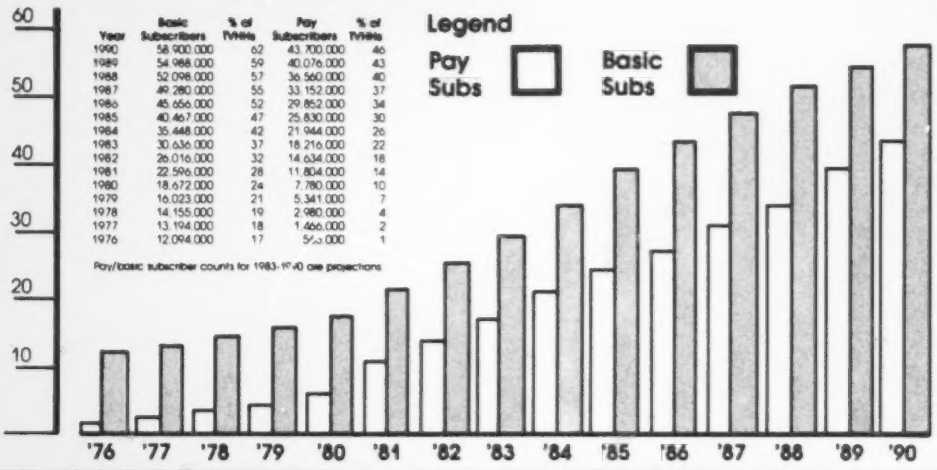
Pay/basic cable growth



Year	Basic Subscribers	% of TVHHs	Pay Subscribers	% of TVHHs
1990	58,900,000	62	43,700,000	46
1989	54,988,000	59	40,076,000	43
1988	52,098,000	57	36,560,000	40
1987	49,280,000	55	33,152,000	37
1986	45,656,000	52	29,852,000	34
1985	40,467,000	47	25,830,000	30
1984	35,448,000	42	21,944,000	26
1983	30,636,000	37	18,216,000	22
1982	26,016,000	32	14,634,000	18
1981	22,596,000	28	11,804,000	14
1980	18,672,000	24	7,780,000	10
1979	16,023,000	21	5,341,000	7
1978	14,155,000	19	2,980,000	4
1977	13,194,000	18	1,466,000	2
1976	12,094,000	17	540,000	1

Pay/basic subscriber counts for 1983-1990 are projections.

Cable barometer

Television households (TVHH) 83,300,000
Homes passed by cable (HP) . 52,333,336
Percent of TVHH passed by cable 62.7%
Basic cable subscribers . 29,060,756
Percent of TVHH with basic cable 34.5%
Pay cable subs 17,308,666
Percent of TVHH with pay cable 20.5%
Percent of HP with pay cable 33.1%
Percent of basic subs with pay cable .. 59.6%

Figures are as of Aug. 31, 1983.

Franchising calendar

This chart examines the franchise status of communities since June 1983.

Arizona
Apache Junction—proposals received from DCA Cablevision and Dowden Communications; preliminary award expected 4/84 (6,837 homes).

California
Avalon—proposals received from Catalina Cable TV, T&B Communications and The Western Co.; award expected 3/84 (1,500 homes).
Chino—only proposal received from Buena Vista Cable TV (12,000 homes).
Claremont—negotiating with Group W (9,800 homes).
Commerce—negotiating with KTS Corp. (3,000 homes).
Costa Mesa—negotiating with Copley Colony Cablevision; award expected 2/84 (32,637 homes).
Duarte—consultants reviewing proposals from Cable TV West Inc. and KTS Corp. (7,100 homes).
East San Fernando Valley—award to United Cable 9/16/83. (166,000 homes).
East Yolo—RFP issued 10/11/83; proposals due 11/18/83 (10,000 homes).
La Puente—statements of interest being accepted until 1/30/84 (8,600 homes).
Lomita—award to Colony Communications 9/6/83 (8,137 homes).
Los Altos—proposals received from Joint Cities Cable TV, Video Engineering and United Cable TV; award expected 3/84 (9,000 homes).
Los Angeles—award to Community Cable Entertainment Services System 9/16/83 (180,000 homes).
Norco—award to Falcon Cable of Riverside 9/21/83 (6,300 homes).
Palo Alto—proposals received from Century Federal, City Cable Partners, Pacific Telephone, Marsh Media/Public Service Cable and Cable Communications Co-Op of Palo Alto; (22,000 homes).
Pico Rivera—negotiating with California Cablesystems; award expected 3/84 (15,500 homes).
Placentia—only proposal submitted by Group W; award expected by 1/84 (1,200 homes).
Sacramento—award to Cablevision Systems 11/22/83 (360,000 homes).
San Gabriel—negotiating with Falcon Communications (11,600 homes).
South Monrovia—RFP re-issued; proposals due 3/84 (5,450 homes).
Sunnyvale—refranchising award to Sunnyvale Cable TV (TCI) expected by 2/84 (43,000 homes).
West Covina—award to Falcon Communications (28,000 homes).
Yorba Linda—deadline extended for statements of interest (12,000 homes).

Colorado
Larimer County—award to Cable Systems 8/22/83 (1,500 homes).
Loveland—award to Scripps Howard 9/26/83 (1,000 homes).

Connecticut
Windham, Lebanon, Scotland et. al. (cable area 13)—award to Telemedia Company of NE Connecticut 7/21/83 (31,137 homes).

Delaware
Wilmington—accepting proposals from cable consultants to review current system (140,000 homes).

District of Columbia
RFP issued; proposals due 2/16/84 (254,000 homes).

Florida
Fellsmere—proposals received from Private Cable and Sci Ad.
Tierre Verde—award to Centel 8/2/83 (2,000 homes).

Illinois
Chicago—City Council awarded first negotiating rights for each area as follows: Area I to Cablevision Systems (300,000 homes); Area II to Group W (217,000 homes.) Area III to Group W (193,000 homes); Area IV to Chicago Cable Communications (TCI/Cross Country joint venture) (226,000 homes); Area V to Continental Cablevision (188,000 homes).
Countryside—preliminary award to Cablevision of Chicago. (2,200 homes).
Elmwood Park—drafting RFP (9,500 homes).
Harwood Heights—negotiating with MetroVision and Cablevision of Chicago; final award expected by 2/84 (2,000 homes).
Naperville—award to Centel expected by 12/83 (17,500 homes).
St. Charles, Geneva—negotiating with Centel's award expected 3/84 (10,000 homes).
Villa Park—negotiating with Multimedia (7,100 homes).
Wheaton—negotiating with Centel; award expected by 12/83.
Winnetka—decision to have cable has been postponed.
Woodbridge—proposals received from Multimedia and Continental Cablevision; award expected 1/84 (260 homes).

Indiana
DeMotte—non-exclusive award to both Northeastern Indiana Cablevision and Telecom Services 7/12/83 (800 homes).

Iowa
Clearfield—award to Afton Cablevision 9/20/83 (150 homes).
Diagnol—award to Afton Cablevision 8/30/83 (200 homes).
Morning Sun—drafting RFP (450 homes).
Murray—award to Afton Cablevision 8/30/83 (280 homes).

Kentucky
Calloway County—preliminary award to Galaxy Cablevision.
Danville—award to RV Cablevision 1/13/84 (12,800).
Fulton—only proposal received from TCI (2,400 homes).
Greenville, Central City and Muhlenburg County—award to TCI 1/84 (13,000 homes).
Loretto—RFP deadline extended.
Mayfield—franchise renewal granted to ATC 9/83 (4,500 homes).

Maine
Harpswell—award to Video Vision 8/18/83 (2,800 homes).
Hermon—award to Maine Cable Co. 8/17/83 (1,062 homes).

Maryland
Baltimore—RFP re-issued; proposals due 3/14/84 (302,000 homes).
Carroll County—award to Prestige Cable 10/14/83 (30,000 homes).
Easton—City Council approved municipal ownership 6/83; construction to start by 11/83 (3,600 homes).

Massachusetts
Ashland—award to Massachusetts Cablevision 7/5/83 (3,082 homes).
Belchertown—no responses to RFP.
Belmont—exploring municipal ownership of cable.
Berkley, Dighton, Freetown—RFP issued; proposals due 1/12/84.
Boxborough—proposals submitted by Nashoba Communications and Adams-Russell (3,100 homes).
Boylston—award to Boylston Municipal Light Co. 1/9/84 (1,200 homes).
Cambridge—expect RFP issuance 3/84 (43,000 homes).
Dedham—preliminary award to Bay Cable TV.
East Bridgewater—preliminary award to Campbell Communications 4/83 (2,500 homes).
Easton—award to Continental Cablevision 1/9/84.
Groton—RFP issued; proposals due 1/17/84.
Hamilton and Wenham—preliminary award to Continental Cablevision (2,300 homes).
Hingham—award to American Cablesystems 7/14/83 (6,323 homes).
Holden—preliminary award to Greater Worcester Cablevision (4,000 homes).
Holliston—preliminary award to Massachusetts Cablevision Systems Inc. (3,922 homes).
Lincoln—proposals received from Adams-Russell, New Communications Corp. and Tele-Communications Inc.; preliminary award expected 1/84 (1,700 homes).
Marblehead—restarting franchising process.
Medfield—only proposal from Massachusetts Cablevision (3,400 homes).
Mendon—re-starting franchise process (1,200 homes).
Middleborough—proposals from Middleborough Gas & Electric, Continental Cablevision and Campbell Cable Systems.
Nahant—only proposal from Warner Amex; no action until summer 1984 (1,433 homes).
Norfolk—only proposal from Massachusetts Cable (1,800 homes).
Pembroke—award to Campbell Communications 10/83 (3,500 homes).
Pepperell—award to United Cablevision of Connecticut 10/11/83 (2,800 homes).
Plympton—only proposal submitted to Campbell Communications.
Sandwich—only proposal received from Campbell Communications (5,000 homes).
Seekonk—proposals received from Prestige Cablevision, Massachusetts Cablevision Systems, Rollins, Inland Bay Cable, Cable TV of East Providence, Seekonk Cablevision and Seekonk Cable TV (6,000 homes).
Shirley—RFP issued; proposals due 2/3/84 (1,827 homes).
Shrewsbury—final award to Shrewsbury Electric Light (8,500 homes).
Southborough—RFP issued; proposals due 1/19/84.
Sterling—proposals received from Wachusett Cablevision and Sterling Electric Light Co.
Stow—only proposal received from Adams-Russell (1,600 homes).
Townsend—preliminary award to Nashoba Communications (2,306 homes).
Upton—only proposal received from Worster Cablevision Inc. (1,600 homes).
Walpole—preliminary award to Massachusetts Cablevision appealed by Adams-Russell (5,676 homes).
Wayland—proposals under review (3,500 homes).
West Bridgewater—Continental Cablevision received recommendation (2,000 homes).
Westminster—negotiating with Adams-Russell (1,000 homes).
Weston—RFP issued at proposals due 1/12/84.
Westport—preliminary award to United Cablevision. Funding appealed by Westport Cable Television (5,500 homes).

Michigan
Bloomfield Township, Bloomfield Hills—award to Booth Communications 9/12/83 (15,000 homes).
Detroit—award to Barden (471,000 homes).
Homer Township—RFP issued.

Cable stats

Jerome Township—award to Whitney Cablevision
Lake Orion, Orion Township—statements of interest being accepted until 2/1/84 (7,800 homes)
Monroe—City Council awarded franchise to Communication and CableVision Inc. to complete with existing franchised cable system, Monroe Cablevision
West Broomfield, Keego Harbor, Orchard Lake, Sylva Lake—negotiating with Continental Cablevision (16,437 homes)
West Oakland County—award to Greater Media 11/23/83 (32,581 homes)
Westland—only proposal from Continental Cablevision (29,000 homes)

Minnesota
Afton, Cottage Grove, St. Paul Park, Denmark, Grey Cloud, Newport, Woodbury (South Washington County Cable Commission)—award to Telephone and Data Systems 1/13/84 (12,664 homes)
Albertville, St. Michael—award to Carlos Padraja 10/83 (637 homes)
Arlington, Gaylord, Winthrop, Gibbon, Green Isle—award to Dowden Communications 9/9/83 (2,568 homes)
Atwater—award to Armco Communications 8/83 (463 homes)
Belle Plaine—expect RFP to be issued 2/84
Big Lake, Buffalo, Cokato, Dassel, Delano, Elk River, Monticello, Rockford, Watertown, Maple Lake—RFP issued, proposals due 1/11/84
Blaine, Centerville, Circle Pines, Coon Rapids, Lexington, Ham Lake, Spring Lake Park (North Central Suburban Cable Communications Commission)—award to Group W 9/9/83 (27,191 homes)
Brooten—award to Armco Communications 8/83 (297 homes)
Burnsville, Eagan—final award to Group W 7/8/83, (12,849 homes)
Chanhassen, Carver County and Hennepin County—award to Dowden Communications 1/5/84
Clarkfield—award to DeSutter Cablevision 10/83 (475 homes)
Deer River—award to Deer River Tel. Co. 9/83 (373 homes)
Dodge Center—award to Dowden Communications 9/9/83 (700 homes)
Eagle Bend—award to Parker's Prairie Tel. Co. 9/83 (517 homes)
Fisher—award to Ada Cable 7/83 (163 homes)
Foley—award to Westel Communications 10/83 (575 homes)
Forest Lake, Forest Lake Township, Columbus Township, Scandia Township—award to Citation Cable 11/83 (5,619 homes)
Grand Marais—award to Cable-Tron 9/9/83
Grove City—award to Armco Communications 8/83 (248 homes)
Hendrum—award to Ada Cable 9/83 (147 homes)
Heron Lake—award to B&R Electronics 10/83 (313 homes)
Janesville—final award to Dowden 7/8/83, (700 homes)
Lewiston—award to TeloCommunications 10/83 (475 homes)
Maple Plain—beginning process (481 homes)
Menahga—award to West Central Tel. Co. 8/83 (457 homes)
Minneapolis—Storer in north sold to Rogers in south 8/83 (170,000 homes)
Minnetrista, Spring Park, Shorewood, Medina, St. Bonifacius, Excelsior, Deephaven, Woodland, Victoria, Tonka Bay, Orono, Minnetonka Beach, Greenwood, Long Lake (Lake Minnetonka Cable Communications Commission)—award to Dowden Communications 12/19/83 (11,682 homes)
New Richland—award to Westel Communications 10/83 (503 homes)
Northfield, Northfield Twp., Dundas, Bridgewater Twp., Rice County, Waterford Twp., Dakota County—award to Nor-Com Video 12/9/83 (4,416 homes)
Oakport Township—award to Spectrum Communications 10/83 (200 homes)
Oklee—award to Garden Valley Tel. Co. 10/83 (242 homes)
Parker's Prairie—award to Mid-West Tel. Co. 10/83 (400 homes)
St. Paul—award to Continental 11/10/83 (111,000 homes)
Savage—drafting RFP (272 homes)
Stillwater, Bayport, Oak Park Heights (Central St. Croix Valley area)—award to Telephone and Data Systems 8/12/83 (6,000 homes)
Tintmont—award to Temi Tel. Co. 10/83 (351 homes)
Wabasso—award to Star Gazers 10/83 (301 homes)
Waconic—beginning process (1,024 homes)
Wayzata—award to Dowden Communications (1,800 homes)
West St. Paul—proposals received from Continental Cablevision and Rite Cablevision (24,032 homes)
Windom—considering municipal ownership (1,600 homes)

Missouri
St. Louis—proposals from Archway Cablevision, St. Louis City Communications and STC Cablevision Partners, award expected 2/84 (178,000 homes)

Nebraska
Bancroft—award to Midlands 12/5/83 (350 homes)

New Hampshire
Hampstead—final award to Rockingham Cablevision (1,500 homes)
Manchester—no proposals submitted by deadline
Newton—proposals received from Harron Communications and New England Cablevision, award expected 4/84 (1,124 homes)
Pelham—negotiating with Harron Communications (2,500 homes)
Sandown—RFP issued, no responses received (800 homes)
Wolfeboro—negotiating with Community TV (833 homes)

New Jersey
Jersey City—determining cable options
Patterson—plans municipal ownership, seeking bids for construction 12/83 (55,000 homes)

New York
Beekman—Dutchess County Cablevision submitted only proposal (2,100 homes)
Mayville—negotiating with U.S. Cable (5,430 homes)
Mt. Upton—NewChannels denied award, future uncertain
New York City—final awards for outer boroughs 6/30/83, Warner Amex—Western Brooklyn, Northern Queens, Cablevision Systems—Eastern Brooklyn, Bronx, Cox Cable—Staten Island, Vision Cable—Northeastern Staten Island, ATC—areas of Queens, Queens Inner Unity Cable—Southern Queens
North Salem—negotiating with Community Cable Services, (1,100 homes)
Norwich—NewChannels withdrew application, exploring other alternatives (100 homes)
Portland—negotiating with Tribune Cable (150 homes)
Tully—award to NewChannels 8/29/83
Union Vale—only proposal from Consolidated Communication (775 homes)

North Carolina
Camden County—drafting RFP
Jackson—statements of interest being accepted (400 homes)
Pamlico County—award to Country Cablevision 10/17/83 (4,000 homes)

Ohio
Avon—proposals received from Avon Cable TV and Space Cable of Ohio, award expected 2/84 (2,000 homes)
Batavia Township—award to So-Comm 9/20/83 (4,000 homes)
Bethel—award to Cable Management Group 9/19/83 (1,200 homes)
Brooklyn—municipal ownership under consideration (4,000 homes)
Cleveland—city still deliberating municipal versus private ownership
Garfield Heights—award to Space Cable 9/23/83 (12,000 homes)
Lordstown—deliberating municipal versus private ownership
Oberlin—proposals received from Oberlin Cable Co-Op and Grafton Cable, award expected 2/84 (2,600 homes)
Quincy—final award granted to Cable Management Group 8/83 (250 homes)
Russell—award to Cablevision of Geauga 9/14/83 (1,500 homes)

Oregon
Amity—negotiating with Eagle Cable Systems Inc. (400 homes)
Cottage Grove—award to McCaw Communications (2,500 homes)
Dunthorpe—negotiating with Liberty Communications (TCI) (507 homes)
Sylvan—negotiating with Liberty Communications (TCI) (1,200 homes)

Pennsylvania
Franklin Township—preliminary award to Scatcom Cable
Paradise Township—final award to Hanover Cable TV 7/5/83
Philadelphia—city is divided into four areas with proposals submitted as follows: Area 1—Greater Philadelphia Cablevision and Independence Cable of Philadelphia; Area 2—Independence Cablevision, Wade Communications and Philadelphia Inner City Cablesystems; Area 3—Rollins Cablevision, Independence Cablevision, Cox Cable and Comcast Communications; Area 4—Rollins Cablevision, Comcast Communications and Cablevision Systems; new administration waiting for assessment of current proposals (each area 155,000 homes)

Rhode Island
Newport (Middletown, Portsmouth, Tiverton, Little Compton)—reviewing proposals (29,500 homes)

Texas
Azle—proposals received from Teltran and Southern Cablevision Corp. (2,200 homes)
Plano—award to TeleCable 8/83 (30,000 homes)

Virginia
Berryville, Clarke County—negotiating with Mid Atlantic Network, award expected 3/84 (600 homes)
Dinwiddie County—award to Crater General Communications 11/2/83
Manassas—beginning feasibility study (5,510 homes)
Suffolk—proposals received from First Carolina Communications, Hampton Roads Cablevision, Suffolk Cablevision and Suffolk Cable Communications, awaiting report from consultant 1/84 (16,697 homes)

Washington
Battle Ground—negotiating with Cox Cable Communications, award expected 1/84 (1,000 homes)
Granger, Toppenish, Wapato, Zillah—award to McCaw Communications 9/83 (5,300 homes)

Wisconsin
Hayward—no bids submitted (1,000 homes)
Hudson—award to Telephone and Data Systems 11/21/83
Hustisford—award to Cable Communications Corp. 12/5/83 (350 homes)
Iola—award to Dowden Communications 7/83 (385 homes)
Johnson Creek—award to Telenational of Milwaukee 9/83 (400 homes)
Kenosha—final award to Total TV 7/5/83 (29,500 homes)
New Glarus—negotiating with TeleData Systems, award expected 2/84 (675 homes)
Spring Green, Spring Green Township, Plain, Arena, Lone Rock—award to Kaul-Tronics Inc. 7/27/83 (400 homes)
Waterford—negotiating with Total TV (600 homes)

Wyoming
Gillette—Westel withdrew bid, negotiating with Televents (7,500 homes)

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Franchising in the top 50 markets

Rank	Market	Status of core city
1	New York	Manhattan—2-OP; outer boroughs 8-FG
2	Los Angeles	City is divided into 14 areas (A-N); 10-OP, 2-UC, 2-FG
3	Chicago	City is divided into five areas, FG
4	Philadelphia	City is divided into N,S,E,W-FP, additional area in S-OP
5	San Francisco	OP (system to be upgraded)
6	Boston	OP
7	Detroit	FG
8	Washington, D.C.	RP
9	Cleveland	BP
10	Dallas/Ft. Worth	Two systems-OP
11	Houston	Two systems-OP
12	Pittsburgh	OP
13	Miami	OP
14	Seattle/Tacoma	City is divided into five parts (4-OP, 1-BP); Tacoma-OP
15	Minneapolis/St. Paul	OP/FG
16	Atlanta	OP
17	St. Louis	FP
18	Tampa/St. Petersburg	UC/OP
19	Denver	OP
20	Baltimore	RP
21	Sacramento/Stockton	FG/OP
22	Indianapolis	Two systems-OP
23	Portland	Three systems-OP
24	Phoenix	Three systems-OP
25	Hartford/New Haven	Two systems-OP
26	Cincinnati	OP
27	San Diego	Two systems-OP
28	Kansas City	OP
29	Milwaukee	UC
30	Nashville	OP
31	Charlotte	OP
32	Buffalo	OP
33	Providence/New Bedford	OP/OP
34	Orlando/Daytona Beach	Two systems-OP
35	New Orleans	OP
36	Memphis	OP
37	Columbus	Four systems-OP
38	Greenville/Asheville/Spartansburg	Three systems-OP
39	Grand Rapids/Kalamazoo/Battle Creek	Three systems-OP
40	Birmingham	OP
41	Raleigh/Durham	Two systems-OP
42	Oklahoma City	Two systems-OP
43	Louisville	Two systems-OP
44	Salt Lake City	OP
45	San Antonio	OP
46	Charleston/Huntington	Two systems-OP
47	Norfolk/Newport News/New Hampton/Portsmouth	Four systems-OP
48	Harrisburg/York/Lebanon/Lancaster	Four systems-OP
49	Wilkes Barre/Scranton	Two systems-OP
50	Albany/Schenectady/Troy	Three systems-OP

Legend

OP—operational
UC—under construction
FG—preliminary franchise award
FP—franchise pending
RP—request for proposal issued
BP—beginning process

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